

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations GUBERNATORIAL PROCLAMATION

Elevator Escalator Safety Awareness Week

WHEREAS, the week of November 13-19, 2011 has been declared Elevator Escalator Safety Awareness Week by the Elevator Escalator Safety Foundation; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this week is to increase public awareness of the safe and proper use of elevators, escalators and moving walkways; and

WHEREAS, the goal of this week is to reduce, through education and awareness, avoidable accidents; and

WHEREAS, the elevator industry greatly contributes to the quality of life; and

WHEREAS, this endeavor is worthy of support and cooperation to benefit the general public and the short range vertical transportation industry; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Lincoln D. Chafee, Governor of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, do hereby proclaim November 13-19, 2011 as Elevator Escalator Safety Awareness Week, and encourage all state residents to recognize the importance of this week.



Given under my hand and the great seal of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, this **and** day of November, 2011

Lincoln D. Chafee Governor

A.—Ralph Mollis Secretary of State